The Release Notes convey recent system upgrades and modifications. Click here to view the Help Desk contact information and reference other Grants Online training resources.

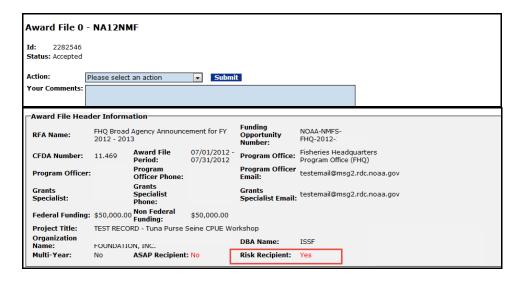
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On several Grants Online screens and in the training resources, the term *Risk Recipient* replaces the term *High Risk*. The following screens were modified to reflect the change in terminology: Grants File, Award File, Organization Profile, and GMD Checklist.
[JIRA: GOL-863]

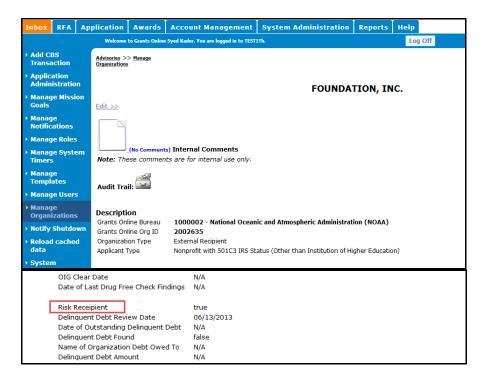
Grants File:

Grants File - NA12NMF								
Id: 228254 Status: Closed	15							
Action:	Please select	an action	v	Submit				
Your Comment	5:							
Grant Inforn	nation							
CFDA Number:	11.469	Award Period:	07/01/2012 · 07/31/2012	Program Office	Fisheries Headqu Program Office (F			
Program Officer:		Program Officer Phone:		Program Officer Email:	testemail@msg2.	rdc.noaa.gov		
Grants Specialist:		Grants Specialist Phone:		Grants Specialist Email:	testemail@msg2.	rdc.noaa.gov		
Total Federa Funding:	\$50,000.00	Total Non Federal Funding:	\$50,000.00	Multi-Year:	No			
Organization Name:	FOUNDATION,	ASAP Recipient:	No	Risk Recipient:	Yes			

Award File:



Organization Profile:



GMD Checklist:



RFA Tab

1. The instructions on the Grants Online email sent to prospective non-competitive RFA recipients have been updated. The new email content is shown below. [JIRA: GOL-856]

This is an automated notification from Grants Online that an application package has been posted at Grants.gov and you have been selected by the posting Program Officer for notification.

Grants.gov is available at the URL: http://www.grants.gov. If you are not registered at Grants.gov, please begin the registration process immediately. It can take up to 2 weeks to fulfill all of the registration requirements.

To retrieve your application package from the Grants.gov home page:

- 1. Go to the Applicant tab and click **Apply Now**.
- 2. On the next page enter the Funding Opportunity Number in the search box:
 - NOAA-ONPO-2019-789654
- 3. Enter the application filing name.
- 4. Click on **Create Workspace**.
- 5. Use the **Download** or **Webform** option for the application (Webform is recommended).
- 6. Fill out the application and follow the Grants.gov instructions for submission.

Information on the NOAA Request for Applications (RFA):

RFA Name: RFA_Name_Sample01

Fiscal Year: 2019 CFDA Number: 11.999

Opportunity Number: NOAA-ONPO-2019-7896543 Agency: National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

Opening Date: 2019-02-11 09:00:00.00
Program Office: One NOAA Program Office

Program Officer: Program Officer Closing Date: 2019-06-11 23:59:00.00

NOTE: This is the latest due date for all applications in this RFA. Please contact the NOAA Program Officer for verification of when your specific application must be submitted for timely award processing.

For further information contact:

Name: Ms. Federal Program Officer

Phone: 301.555.1212

Address: 14th Street & Constitution Avenue, NW

Washington, DC 20230

Email: Federal.ProgramOfficer@noaa.gov

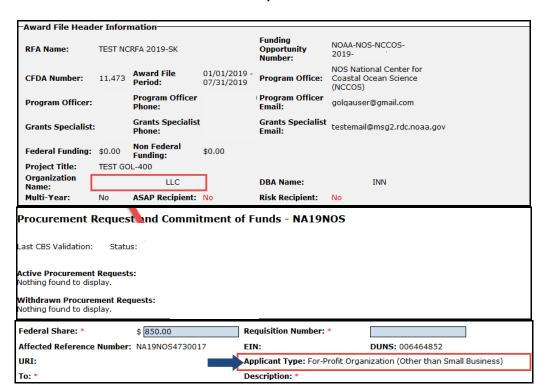
Application Tab

1. The data element, Applicant Type, is shown on the Procurement Request and Commitment of Funds (PRCF) and on the Award Finance Report. [JIRA: GOL-400]

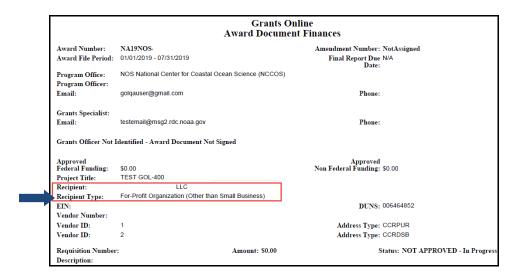
On the Organization Profile:



Information Reflected on the Procurement Request and Commitment of Funds:

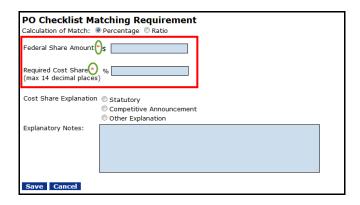


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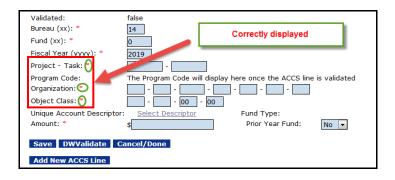


2. A red asterisk (indicating mandatory data entry) has been added next to several data elements associated with the PO Checklist Matching Requirement, Accounting – ACCS Lines, and NEPA Environmental Review Requirements. [JIRA: GOL-507]

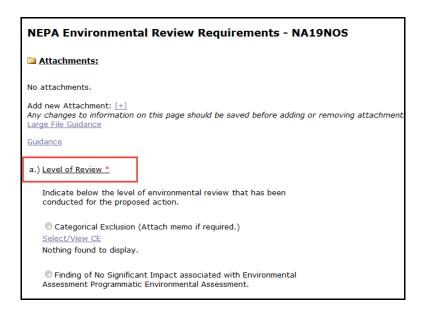
PO Checklist Matching Requirement:



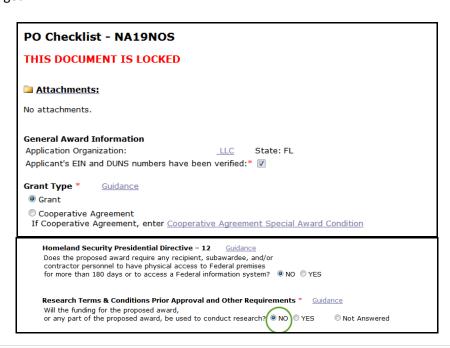
Accounting - ACCS Lines:



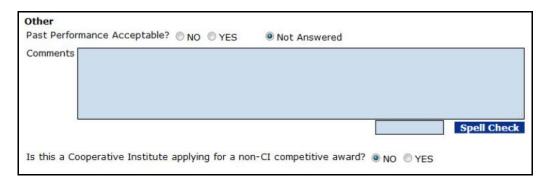
NEPA Environmental Review Requirements:



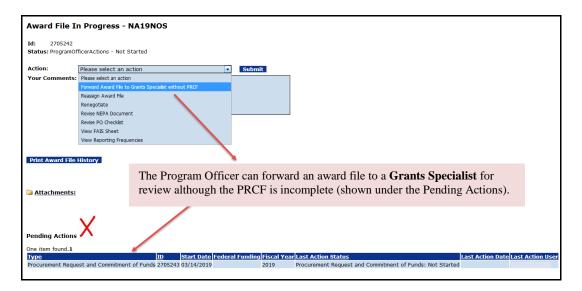
- 3. When the response to the PO Checklist question *Research Terms and Conditions Prior Approval* and *Other Requirements* is "yes" the response to that question cannot be changed on subsequent PO Checklists associated with that award. [JIRA: GOL-821]
 - a. When the response to the Research Terms and Conditions question is "no" the user may change the response to "yes." However, the response remains "yes" for subsequent Research Terms and Conditions questions on the PO Checklists associated with that award.
 - b. When the response to the Research Terms and Conditions question is "yes" the value for that question on subsequent PO Checklists on that award defaults to "yes" and cannot be changed.

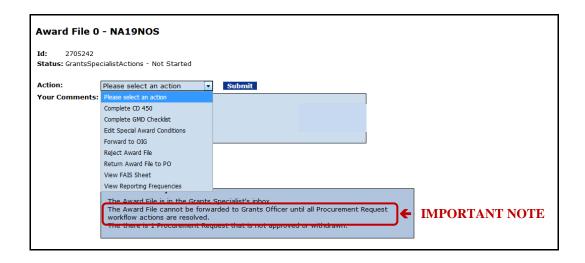


- 4. Two questions were added to the PO Checklist (for NOAA only): [JIRA: GOL-860]
 - Past Performance Acceptable? (including NOAA Data Sharing Directive Compliance)
 - Is this a Cooperative Institute (CI) applying for a non-CI competitive award? (Applicable to non-11.432 awards).

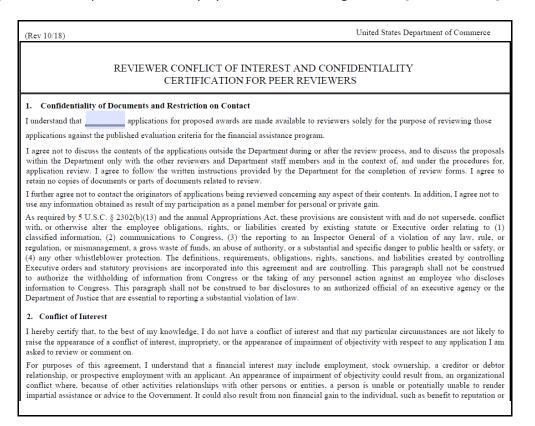


5. The workflow has been modified; a Program Officer can submit an award file to GMD for review with a zero-dollar PRCF. However, the award file cannot be sent to a Grants Officer for review and approval until the PRCF has been completed. [JIRA: GOL-864]





6. The Conflict of Interest (COI) form for non-Federal reviewers (CD-571) was revised. The top portion of the updated form is displayed in the screen image below. [JIRA: GOL-874]



Awards Tab

1. The system now captures the signature of both the Recipient Authorized Representative (RAR) and the Business/Financial Representative who submits the SF-270 to an agency. Previously only the RAR signature was retained. [JIRA: GOL-430]

			BY FEDERA	L AGENCY				
Department of Commerce/NOAA			NA19NOS					
6. EMPLOYER IDENTIFICATION		ACCOUNT NUMBER	8. PERIOD COVERED BY THIS REQUEST					
NUMBER	OR IDENTIFY	ING NUMBER	FROM (manth,	day, year) 01/01/201		TO (month, day, year)		
9. RECIPIENT ORGANIZATION		NOAA	40.00000				2/28/2019	
9. RECIPIENT ORGANIZATION			10. PAYEE (Where check is to be s	ent if different than item 9)			
Name:	LLC		Name:					
Number			Number					
and Street: 4101			and Street:					
City, State and ZIP Code:			City, State and ZIP Co	de:				
11.	COMPUTATION	N OF AMOUNT OF RE	IMBURSE	MENTS/ADVAN	CES REQUESTED			
	001111 01741101	(a)	(b)		(c)			
PROGRAMS/FUNCTIONS/	ACTIVITIES -	1-2			1-7		TOTAL	
Total program outlays to date	(As of date)	\$ \$200.0	00 \$	\$0.00	\$ \$0	.00 \$	\$200.00	
b. Less: Cumulative program	n income	\$0.0	00	\$0.00	\$0	.00	\$0.00	
c. Net program outlays (Line		\$200.0	00	\$0.00	\$0	0.00	\$200.00	
d. Estimated net cash outlays	s for advance	\$0.0	00	\$0.00	\$0	0.00	\$0.00	
e. Total (Sum of lines c & d)		\$200.0	00	\$0.00	\$0	0.00	\$200.00	
f. Non-Federal share of amou	int on line e	\$0.0	00	\$0.00	\$0	0.00	\$0.00	
g. Federal share of amount o		\$200.0	00	\$0.00	\$0	0.00	\$200.00	
h. Federal payments previous	slv requested	\$0.0	00	\$0.00	\$0	0.00	\$0.00	
i. Federal share now request minus line h)		\$200.0	00	\$0.00	\$0	0.00	\$200.00	
j. Advances required by month, when requested	1st month						0.00	
by Federal grantor agency for use in making	2nd month						0.00	
prescheduled advances	3rd month						0.00	
12.	Guilbilei	ALTERNATE COMP	UTATION	FOR ADVANCES	ONLY			
a. Estimated Federal cash ou	utlays that will be m	ade during period covered	by the advar	nce		\$		
b. Less: Estimated balance	of Federal cash on	hand as of beginning of ac	vance period	i				
c. Amount requested (Line a						\$	0.00	
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knowledge and belief the data on the reverse are correct and that all outlays			02/2			2/26/201	26/2019	
were made in accordance grant conditions or other a and that payment is due an	greement Fin	OR PRINTEDNAME AND TITLE Rep - Sub			00	EPHONE (AF OE, NUMBER TENSION)		
been previously requested.								
This space for agency use					•			

- 2. The CD-450 and the CD-451 (used in Grants Online) were modified to reflect Department of Commerce updates. [JIRA: GOL-850]
 - The revision date on both forms was updated.
 - Two Grants Online terms have been modified:
 - Special Award Conditions was replaced with Specific Award Conditions;
 - Funding Opportunity Number (FON) was replaced with Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO).

CD-450

- $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ image is an excerpt from the official Department of Commerce CD-450.
- 2nd image is representative of the bottom portion of the CD-450 as shown in Grants Online.

FORM CD-450 (REV. 10/18)	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE	GRA	NT	COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT
	FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AWARD	FEDERAL	AWA	RD ID NUMBER
RECIPIENT NAME		PERIOD OF	PER	FORMANCE
STREET ADDRES	S	FEDERAL S	SHAF	RE OF COST
CITY, STATE, ZIP	CODE	RECIPIENT	SHA	RE OF COST
AUTHORITY		TOTAL EST	'IMA'	TED COST
CFDA NO. AND N	AME			
PROJECT TITLE				
By signing attached. Up	Document (Form CD-450) signed by the Grants Officer constituthis Form CD-450, the Recipient agrees to comply with the August Population of the Recipient, the Form CD-450 must be signed and returned to the Grants Officer. If not signed and returned by sof receipt, the Grants Officer may unilaterally withdraw this Aw	ward pro ed by an d without	visi aut mo	ons checked below and horized representative of dification by the Recipient



CD-451

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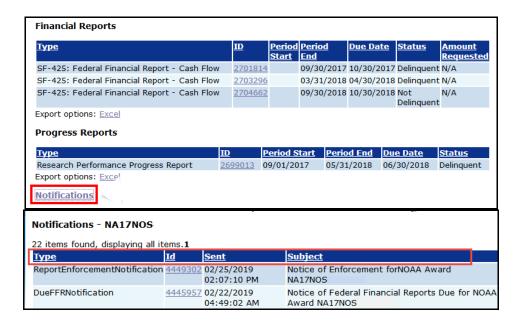
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FINANCIA	AL ASSISTANCE	AWARD		FEDERAL AWARD ID	IUMBER	
CFDA NO. AND NAME						
PROJECT TITLE						
RECIPIENT NAME				AMENDMENT NUMBER	?	
STREET ADDRESS				EFFECTIVE DATE		
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE				EXTEND PERIOD OF PERFORMANCE TO (IF APPLICABLE)		
				(IF APPLICABLE)		
COSTS ARE REVISED	PREVIOUS				TOTAL	
AS FOLLOWS:	ESTIMATED COST	ADD		DEDUCT	ESTIMATED COST	
FEDERAL SHARE OF COST						
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RECIPIENT SHARE OF COST						
	\$	\$	\$		\$	
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST						
	\$	\$	\$		\$	

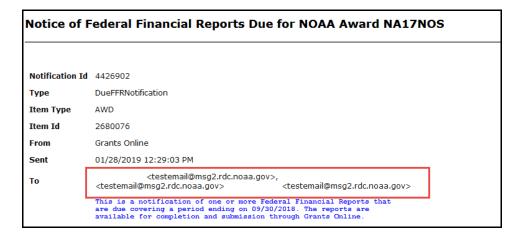
below and attached within 30 days of re	n of Federal funding. By signing this Form CD-451, the Recipient, as well as previous provisions incorporated into the Award. If I ceipt, the Grants Officer may unilaterally withdraw this Amendme (ARD CONDITION(S)	not signed and returned without modification by the Recipie
LINE ITEM B	JDGET	
OTHER(S):		
GIGNATURE OF DEPAI	TMENT OF COMMERCE GRANTS OFFICER	DATE
DINTED NAME DOINT	ED TITLE, AND SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZED RECIPIENT OFFICIAL	DATE

Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) is used instead of Federal Funding Opportunity (FFO):

Award File Head	er Inforn	nation				
RFA Name:	TEST NCRFA 2019-SK			Notice of Funding Opportunity Number:	NOAA-NOS-NCCOS- 2019-	
CFDA Number:	11.473	Award File Period:	12/01/2018 08/30/2019	Program Office:	NOS National Center for Coastal Ocean Science (NCCOS)	
Program Officer:		Program Officer Phone:		Program Officer Email:	testemail@rdc2.msg.noaa.g	ov
Grants Specialist:	-	Grants Specialist Phone:		Grants Specialist Email:	testemail@msg2.rdc.noaa.g	ov
Federal Funding:	\$600.00	Non Federal Funding:	\$100.00			
Project Title:	Test GOI	L-850 NOAA				
Organization Name:		LLC		DBA Name:	INN	
Multi-Year:	No	ASAP Recipient:	No	Risk Recipient:	No	

3. A *Notifications* link has been added to the bottom of the Grants File launch page. From this link the user can access information about that award. The list includes the type of notification, the notification ID, the date/time the notification was sent, and the notification subject. The information is sorted in descending order by the date the notification was sent. [JIRA: GOL-861]





EDA

1. For EDA, the business rules allow one person to have roles as a Grants Specialist and as a Director. When the Grants Specialist forwarded an award file to the Director, the Director had two open tasks for the same award. That issue has been resolved. When a Grants Specialist forwards an award file to the Director, there is only one task visible for the Director role. [JIRA: GOL-837]